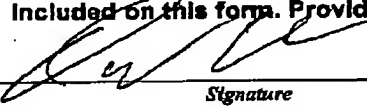


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed October 5, 2004, Applicants request
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